

Usually, within months, someone
refers a child here or becomes a
volunteer - or both!

All things do work together for
good. Thank you for being a
catalyst to help bring it all
together.

Best!

Shing

Dear Ken,

1-16-02

I want to let you know
how great it was to see
you yesterday. I always
have such a wonderful
experience when I interview
with you. Talk to you soon!

For Shing,

Courtney Jacciponte

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THAT I WOULD BE A HERO? THAT I'D
END UP HELPING DOZENS OF CHILDREN
EVERYDAY WHO LOOK LIKE I LOOKED,
TALK LIKE I TALKED, SMILE LIKE I SMILED
OR DREAM LIKE I DREAMED WHEN I WAS
A CHILD? THAT THIS CHILD WOULD
GROW UP TO HELP ANOTHER CHILD
WHOSE PAIN GOES FAR BEYOND WHAT I
COULD HAVE EVER IMAGINED THEN?
WHO EVER IMAGINED THAT I WOULD BE
A HERO? **childadvocatessm**

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10 January 2003

Ken,

It was a pleasure to visit with you at KKHT on Friday, January 3rd. Thank you not only for the warm welcome, but especially for the opportunity to inform your listeners about Texas Right to Life and the pro-life movement in general. I hope you have a positive response from your work on the Sanctity of Life week. Be sure to contact me if I can serve you or KKHT in any way. Thank you again for standing with Texas Right to Life. Elizabeth Graha

Hi Ken,
THANKS AGAIN FOR INVITING ME
TO TALK TO THE GROUP LAST
WEEK. I KNOW GOD IS BLESSING
YOUR EFFORTS. SO MANY TIMES WE WANT TO
HELP IMPROVE THE WORLD OVER-NIGHT,
AND IT SEEMS LIKE WE ARE MOVING
SLOWLY WHEN WE TRY TO HELP ONE
PERSON AT-A-TIME. BUT I KNOW GOD
IS WATCHING US, AND HE WILL
DIRECT OUR PATHS. THANK YOU AGAIN
FOR HELPING PEOPLE GET JOBS.

GOD BLESS YOU,

Bral.



T H A N K Y O U

5-16-02

Hi KEN,

JUST A QUICK NOTE TO SAY
"THANK YOU" FOR HAVING
ME ON YOUR SHOW AGAIN
TODAY. I REALLY ENJOY
WORKING WITH YOU. I HAVE
HEARD YOU WITH OTHER GUESTS,
AND I CAN SAY FROM EXPERIENCE;
YOU REALLY MAKE YOUR GUESTS
FEEL COMFORTABLE AND VERY
MUCH AT EASE. ALL OF YOUR GUESTS
SOUND SO RELAXED ALL OF THE TIME. GOD
HAS GIVEN YOU A PEACEFUL HEART, AND A
PEACEFUL SPIRIT, AND THAT COMES ACROSS
AS SOON AS WE START TALKING WITH YOU.
THANKS AGAIN - I KNOW GOD IS
BLESSING EFFORTS.

BRAD RHOTON
MCSI STAFFING
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COMMERCE TOWERS
HOUSTON CHRONICLE
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KRISPY KREME DOUGHNUTS
TELEMUNDO
THE CHEF'S TABLE
THE UPS STORE

November 28, 2003

Ken Garza
Host
KKHT-AM (1070) / KTEK-AM (1110)
6161 Savor, Suite 1200
Houston, TX 77036

Dear Ken:

Thank you for participating in The Salvation Army 3rd Annual Celebrity Pro-Am Turkey Carving Contest sponsored by Commerce Towers, The Houston Chronicle and Telemundo. Again, the event was a success!

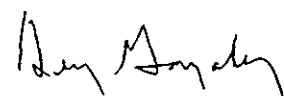
We appreciate your support and skills to help us kick-off the holiday season. This Thanksgiving Day, The Salvation Army will be serving over 6,000 meals in our shelters located in Houston and Montgomery County. We estimate to help over 115,000 individuals this Christmas with toys, clothes, and holiday cheer. Thanks to all our volunteers and sponsors for making this a joyful holiday possible.


We look forward to all our holiday events and remember we have our 7-foot, one-ton "Big" Red Kettle making its way around Houston this holiday season and throughout the New Year. If you would like to sponsor it for a day or a few hours, we would love to bring it to your place of business! For more information, please call Jan Porter at 832-201-8018.

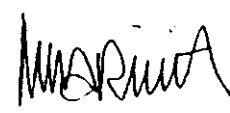
Enclosed is a list a location where our "Big" Red Kettle will be for the holidays and beyond. You are welcome to come to any of the events!

Again, we appreciate your participation and look forward to having another memorable event next year. God bless you and your family this holiday season and happy New Year.

Thank you,


Major Henry Gonzalez
Area Commander


Sharon Wright
Co-Chair


Marcello Marini
Co-Chair



www.salvationarmyhouston.org



December 17, 2003

Ken Garza
KKHT-AM
6161 Savoy Dr
Houston, TX 77036-3363

Dear Ken:

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Thank you for your support of Focus on the Family's publicity efforts in the past year. Your willingness to affirm the newsworthiness of our many events and ministries means a great deal to us!

We especially appreciated your coverage of Sanctity of Human Life Week. Our staff put a great deal of time and effort into this in order to make it a success, and quite frankly, we know that your station helped us achieve that goal. We realize that as an important media outlet, you are often inundated with press releases, story pitches, and interview suggestions. For this reason, we are especially honored that you chose to feature our work in 2003. Please accept the enclosed VHS copy of "Adventures in Odyssey: Race to Freedom," the latest in our popular animated series for kids, as evidence of our appreciation.

Thank you again, Ken, for your excellent work. We will do our best to provide you with exciting, relevant, and positive stories in the coming year. If you have any questions, or if there is any way we may be of assistance, don't hesitate to contact us at (719) 548-5882. God's richest blessings to you and your staff!

Sincerely,

Kristen Hendrix
Corporate Publicity/Focus on the Family



Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers Houston Chapter 198

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August 20, 2003

Mr. Ken Garza
6161 Savoy, Suite 1200
Houston, Texas 77036
Re: Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers Charter Banquet

Dear Mr. Garza:

On behalf of the leadership and members of the Houston Chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Peace Officers, I would like to thank you for your outstanding performance as the Master of Ceremonies at our charter banquet on Friday, July 25, 2003. Your presentation skills, speaking abilities, humor, and professionalism made the evening flow smoothly from start to finish. Your genuine warmth for people and love for our Lord, Jesus Christ, was most evident. You were instrumental in making the banquet a success and we could not have done it without you!

Sincerely,

Patrick J. Bartlett
Membership Chairman



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KHOU-TV HOUSTON, TEXAS

2002 OVERVIEW

Sometimes the best ideas come from unexpected places. Sometimes, all we have to do is listen. KHOU is all ears. Our ears are open and we have an eye on our community. We are looking and listening for ways to connect need...with people who want to help.

KHOU received a call in the days following September 11th from a viewer who was watching along with the world. He heard the wife of a victim ask, "Who is going to play Santa for my kids this year?" Our viewer answered aloud from his living room, "I am." Then, he reached out to KHOU for help.

We created "The Spirit of Texas Toy Drive" right then and there and began asking our viewers to help. They generously gave more than 1,200 toys that were sent to children of victims in New York City.

We decided to continue the "Spirit of Texas Toy Drive" in 2002 to benefit children in our hometown. Calling once again on our big hearted viewers for help, we collected almost 5,000 toys and gifts for under-privileged children, teenagers and adults.

One little girl brought all of her birthday gifts to the Spirit of Texas Toy Drive. One by one, she tucked them under our tree to give to other children. She gave a gift to all of us that day...a reminder of why we're here. KHOU is here to help our community. Like a giant megaphone reaching across Texas, we shout out for help...and help is on the way!

At KHOU, we take seriously our commitment to community. We're quick to evaluate need and respond positively whenever we can. We believe in using the power of television for good. We are forever searching for new ways to help those in need and give our viewers opportunities to help, too.



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1.

LIST AND DESCRIBE THE STATION'S MOST SIGNIFICANT PUBLIC SERVICE CAMPAIGNS AND ACTIVITIES DURING THE ELIGIBILITY YEAR.

Include the names of organizations that benefited from these initiatives.

OUR FAMILY YOUR FAMILY

KHOU-TV's largest station project and community outreach program. "Our Family Your Family" serves to inform, educate and influence positive changes in families within our community. All of the following elements benefit families in general and children in particular:



Weekly News Reports

KHOU-TV News Anchor PSA's

Benefiting a number of local non-profits

Family Friendly Partner Messages

Primetime Television Specials

Sourcebooks

School Book Covers

KidVid Video Identification Program

Web site and free character education lesson plans

Weekly Community Calendar

Free Museum District Day



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ONE HOUSTON UNITED

In an unprecedented effort on behalf of the United Way of the Texas Gulf Coast, KHOU led an effort to raise awareness and funds to benefit victims of Tropical Storm Allison with a three-hour prime-time telethon. The United Way had lost significant funding from a number of corporations including Enron. KHOU was approached by the United Way before any other media organization. As the first television station to pledge support, other stations followed suit. With KHOU's help, more than three million dollars was raised to assist victims suffering from the after math of Tropical Storm Allison. Benefiting thousands of flood victims.



W.A.R.N. RADAR NET

A public safety campaign that enables Emergency Managers in the Greater Houston area to better serve their local communities during times of severe weather by accessing live radar provided by KHOU-TV.

Benefiting the entire community by helping keep them safe.



STUDENT BOOK COVERS

Texas law requires students to cover their schoolbooks. Each year, KHOU designs, prints and distributes 40,000 book covers to area school students as a public service. These beautifully created covers are part of Channel 11's Our Family Your Family project. Benefits school children.

SOURCEBOOK

KHOU prints more than 70,000 Sourcebooks and distributes them to families free of charge. The Sourcebooks are printed in both English and Spanish and serve as a resource guide for parents. Sourcebooks include a comprehensive list of organizations, phone numbers as well as family friendly activities. Parents can also find helpful information inside.

Benefits parents and families.



CHILDREN'S MIRACLE NETWORK TELETHON

KHOU-TV produces and broadcasts the CMN Telethon benefiting Houston's Memorial Hermann Children's Hospital. Channel 11 News anchors share personal stories of five area children and families who have benefited from treatment at the hospital. KHOU's innovative and creative team abandoned the traditional telethon format in favor of a more personal feature oriented presentation. This format change is now being duplicated across the nation. The telethon and other CMN activities raised more than one million dollars for Memorial Hermann Children's Hospital in 2002. Benefits Hermann Children's Hospital.



HURRICANE TRACKING CHART

KHOU-TV and partners distributed more than 400,000 Hurricane Tracking Charts to viewers in 2002. These free charts provide maps for charting hurricanes during the season and include life saving information to the community. KHOU's chart is unique to the market. This map includes the all important storm surge map. The storm surge presents the greatest threat to life and property along the coast. Benefiting the entire community by raising awareness of storm danger.



THE SPIRIT OF TEXAS FOOD DRIVE

In the heat of the summer, when school lunch programs have long since stopped, KHOU-TV gears up for its annual Spirit of Texas Food Drive. The 2002 drive was extremely important to our community in 2002 because of the continuing need due to Tropical Storm Allison. KHOU-TV contributed more than \$243,000 in airtime and production to support this drive which generated more than 200,000 pounds of food and \$242,000 in cash donations from sponsors and donors. The Spirit of Texas Food Drive represents the largest contribution to the Houston Food Bank each year. Benefits the Houston Food Bank.



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SAVE THE MUSIC

KHOU joined CBS, Time Warner, VH1, the Houston Symphony and a local music store chain in an effort to secure used musical instruments and distribute them to area children. KHOU produced and aired a public service announcement and support the effort with news stories and radio interviews. 25 gently used musical instruments were donated in 2002.

Benefiting children who cannot afford to purchase musical instruments.



MUSEUM DISTRICT DAY

It's all for families and it's all for free! Ten Museums waive admission one day each year as part of KHOU's Museum District Day. More than 75,000 people attended this free family day. The day allows the entire community to enjoy the diverse offerings of art, science nature and history available in Houston's world class museum district.

Museum District Day is part of KHOU's Our Family Your Family project. The museum district benefits directly from the thousands of new visitors this free day attracts to the

museum district each Museum District Day.

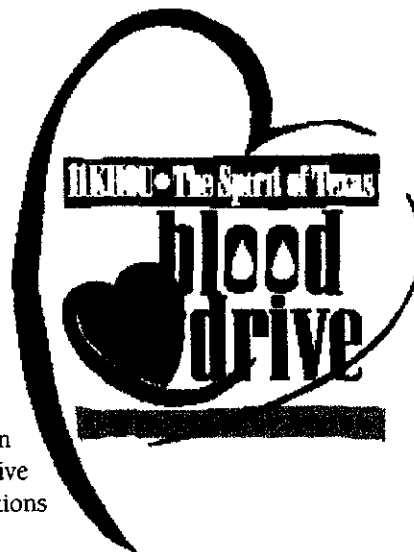
Benefits families by giving exposure to the arts and Houston's world class arts district.



THE SPIRIT OF TEXAS BLOOD DRIVE

Thirty days before Labor Day, KHOU and partnering sponsors begin asking the public to donate the gift of life. With daily news support of blood mobile locations, KHOU-TV encourages viewers to help save lives with their donations. Hours before the Labor Day weekend, KHOU broadcasts the Spirit of Texas Blood Drive. This drive includes live broadcasts and cut-ins and generates more donations each year than any other single blood drive by a television organization in our community. Most importantly, this drive raises awareness for the need for blood donations over the holiday. 2,190 units of blood were collected in 2002.

Benefits the Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center.



KIDVID

KHOU-TV's unique video identification program provides free videos and safety information to parents and kids. Children are videotaped at area malls for parents to give to authorities should the child be abducted or lost. KHOU held two KidVid events in 2002 videotaping more than 1,000 area children. KidVid is part of KHOU's Our Family Your Family project.

Benefits families by helping keep kids safe.



WOMEN ON THE MOVE

KHOU-TV is a major sponsor of the Texas Executive Women's Association's Women on the Move program saluting outstanding leaders in the community. KHOU-TV features each exemplary woman in a videotape shown at the Women on the Move banquet. The banquet honors women for their professional and community achievements and raises money to provide mentoring programs and scholarships to young women. KHOU produced 10 banquet pieces featuring the 10 Women on the Move for a total donation of \$30,000.

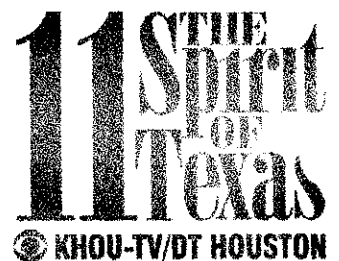
Benefits young women in helping provide mentoring and scholarships.



SPIRIT OF TEXAS TOY DRIVE

The Spirit of Texas Toy Drive was established when a KHOU viewer asked KHOU to help play Santa to children of victims of the NYC bombings. In 2002, KHOU continued the effort for local children, teenagers and the elderly. KHOU created and broadcast a PSA to encourage toy donations to KHOU studios and sponsor locations all over the greater Houston area. KHOU continued the effort in 2002. More than 4,500 toys and gifts were donated and distributed through the Salvation Army.

Benefits children and families during the holiday season.



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DESCRIBE THE STATION'S CONSISTENT LOCAL PROGRAMMING AND COVERAGE (for example regular community affairs programming, PSAs, special community awareness campaigns/series, news coverage, coverage of community events, etc.).

KHOU-TV BROADCAST 4,529 PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS IN 2002 FREE OF CHARGE.
OUR GIFT TO THE COMMUNITY TOTALS \$2,332,502 IN 2002.

CMN Telethon

Broadcast June 1st and 2nd, 2002



Prime Time Our Family Your Family Specials

Topic: Character Education
Effects of Music on Children
Legal Drugs Lethal High

Weather Special "Return to Allison."

This hour long special remembers the costliest tropical storm in US history, Tropical Storm Allison. Allison blew through Houston in June of 2001 killing 22 people, destroying 3,600 homes and damaging 48,000 more. More than 118,000 people asked for help as a result of the storm.

Project Texas Special "Texas: State of Pollution"

KHOU and Belo produced this special looking at air pollution in Texas.

Reliant Stadium Special

KHOU produced a special program looking into the latest, greatest NFL stadium, Reliant Stadium.

Scholar Athletes

KHOU-TV Sports Director, Giff Neilsen, hosts a locally produced series of vignettes. The vignettes feature area high school students focusing on their athletic abilities, extra-curricular activities and scholastic aptitude.



Up Close Specials

KHOU focuses on issues that need a closer look. Typical news casts do not allow for in-depth reporting, so 11News takes a special look at various issues and concerns in our community. In 2002, Up Close specials included Justice or Injustice, Extreme Measures, While You Were Sleeping.

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Super Sports Club

The 2002 Fiesta "Spirit of Texas" Super Sports Club benefits the largest, single interest group in the nation...organized amateur athletics. KHOU sports personalities encourage schools and organizations throughout the year to save UPC codes of a number of weekly specials at Fiesta Food Stores. A percentage of the sale of those items is donated to different organizations and teams. Schools, churches and civic organizations win big with the Super Sports Club by earning money for uniforms and equipment. The Super Sports Club donated more than \$107,000 to help area teams participate in athletics in 2002.

The Right Choice About Drinking

KHOU partnered with Silver Eagle Distributing to produce a special program looking at teenage drinking and encouraging responsible drinking.

BP Leader Awards

KHOU teamed up with BP and the City of Houston to create a challenge to area school students to develop ideas to reduce air pollution in our community.

KHOU-TV's news department supports each of our station-sponsored events in the community each year. The following were designated station sponsored events in 2002:

The Houston Livestock Rodeo

Black History Month



Asian History Month

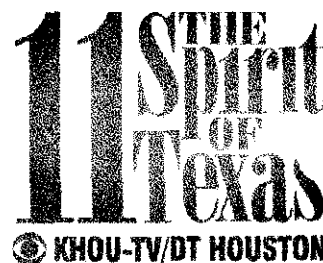


Hispanic History Month



Children's Miracle Network Telethon

Museum District Day



Two KidVid Video Identification Events



San Jacinto Independence Celebration



The Spirit of Texas Food Drive



The Spirit of Texas Blood Drive

Women on the Move



Thanksgiving Day Parade



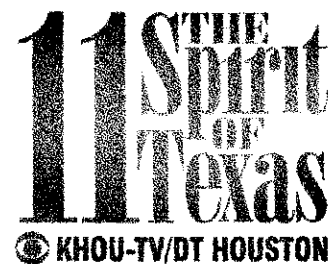
The Spirit of Texas Toy Drive

Heart Walk



Service Salutes to military men and women

Magical Night of Giving



Cowboys of Color Rodeo



Kwanzaa

Houston International Festival

Save the Music



3.

PLEASE CITE, AND INCLUDE IF POSSIBLE, EVIDENCE OF VIEWER AND COMMUNITY REACTION TO THE STATION'S PUBLIC SERVICE INITIATIVES

(e.g., letters, awards, news clips, photographs).

One Houston United

Telethon for the Houston United Way of the Texas Gulf Coast
\$3,000,000



Children's Miracle Network Telethon

\$1,000,000 raised throughout 2002

Spirit of Texas Food Drive

200,000 pounds of food
\$242,000 cash donations



Spirit of Texas Blood Drive

2,190 units of blood donated

KidVid Video Identification

1,000 free videotapes for parents



Spirit of Texas Toy Drive

4,500 toys and items donated for area children, teenagers and the elderly



Save the Music

25 Instruments donated to children

4.

INCLUDE A VHS TAPE DOCUMENTING THE STATION'S COMMUNITY SERVICE

ACTIVITIES. Footage may include but is not limited to relevant news or program segments, PSA's and off-air activities. Remember, keep it to 5-10 minutes of your strongest video. Please label tapes "Service to America Television Award" and include your station call letters and the total running time.

AWARDS

KHOU-TV is an award winning television station. KHOU was the most decorated local station in the nation for its groundbreaking investigation that led to the recall of more than six million Firestone tires in 2001.

In November of 2002, KHOU's Investigative team, the Defenders broadcast a series of reports called, "Evidence of Errors." The reports documented serious errors by the Houston Police Department's crime lab and the effect the errors had on the outcomes of local criminal cases. Awards are beginning to come in for this 2002 series. Here is a list of KHOU's awards in 2002.

**KHOU NAMED BEST NEWS IN HOUSTON BY PROJECT FOR
EXCELLENCE IN JOURNALISM**

KHOU WINS REGIONAL EDWARD R. MURROW AWARD

**KHOU WINS 12 TEXAS ASSOCIATED PRESS BROADCASTERS
AWARDS**

KHOU WINS 5 KATIE AWARDS

KHOU RECEIVES 12 EMMY NOMINATIONS

KHOU WINS 6 EMMY AWARDS

